

Remarks

Applicants and the undersigned would like to thank the Examiner for her efforts in the examination of this application. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

I. Double Patenting

The Examiner has rejected Claims 1, 3-5, and 10-14 under the judicially created doctrine of nonstatutory obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over commonly owned US 6,663,392 to Levya et al.

A Terminal Disclaimer is enclosed herewith, which is believed to obviate this rejection.

Conclusions

Applicants respectfully submit that the above remarks place this application in a condition for allowance, and passage to issue is respectfully solicited. Applicants and the undersigned would like to again thank the Examiner for her efforts in the examination of this application and for reconsideration of the application. If the further prosecution of the

application can be facilitated through telephone interview between the Examiner and the undersigned, the Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned at the Examiner's convenience.

Respectfully submitted,



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